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PACKET-SWITCHING TELECOMMUNICATION NETWORK

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## **COMMUNICATION**

Sir:

In response to the Order Returning Undocketed Appeal to Examiner mailed March 29, 2007, Applicant herein provides a Supplemental Appeal Brief (attached hereto) with a "Related Proceedings Appendix" not present in the Appeal Brief, and respectfully requests expunging of the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) filed February 8, 2002. More specifically, Applicant requests that the references cited on the IDS dated February 8, 2002 (a copy of which is attached) be expunged from Application No. 09/827,487. These references, as seen on the cover of the attached IDS, were properly filed in Application No. 09/668,786.

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In light of the above, the Applicants respectfully submit that the missing matters requiring attention have been fulfilled and the Appeal Brief should be properly docketed.

Respectfully submitted,

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